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Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find a copy of the Written Opinion of the International Searching Authority (Form PCT/ISA/237) in regards to the international application identified above. Please make this document of record in connection with this case.

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